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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2005. This response is being filed with a request for a one-month extension of time, to and including March 21, 2006, making this response timely.

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